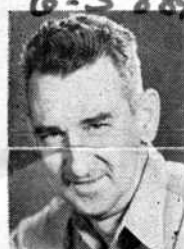


## Y-12ERS WARNED AGAINST COMPLACENCY

### Four More Y-12 Men Are Cited For Promotions

In this 20th series of sketches and pictures of Y-12ers who have earned promotion since July 1, 1951, recognition is given to four employees in as many different departments and two divisions, Maintenance and Chemical.

**B. A. Hicks**—A Y-12 employee since January 30, 1944, Hicks is in the Field Maintenance Department of the Maintenance Division. On July 1, 1951, he was promoted from pipefitter group leader to assistant foreman. Hicks was married in 1933 and he and his wife, Mrs. Louise Hicks, live at 1126 Monroe Street, Sweetwater, Tenn. They have two children, Bobby Eugene and Donald.



B. A. Hicks



A. F. Neubert

**A. F. Neubert**—Another old timer in Y-12, having been employed on August 5, 1943, Neubert was promoted on May 1, 1952, from development mechanic to assistant foreman in the Research Department Services Department of the Maintenance Division. Married in 1930, Neubert and his wife, Mrs. Mary Agnes Neubert, have two daughters, Claudette and Barbara Jean. They live at 103 Phillips Lane, Oak Ridge.

**Burkett I. V. Bailey**—First employed in Y-12 in December, 1945, Bailey was rehired on January 26, 1951, in the Product Processing Department of the Chemical Division. He was promoted from chemical operator to assistant process foreman on December 1, 1951. Bailey was married on November 25, 1945, and he and his wife, Mrs. Willie Ruth Bailey, have one son, Ronald Victor. They live at 55 Cherokee Drive, Clinton, Tenn.



B. Bailey



R. C. Watson

**Ralph C. Watson**—Also a veteran employee in Y-12, having been employed on October 21, 1943, Watson was promoted from electroplating specialist to foreman in the Chemical Department of the Chemical Division on February 1, 1952. Watson and his wife, Mrs. Bonnie R. Watson, whom he married in 1935, live at 117 Goucher Circle, Oak Ridge. They have two children, Barbara Jo, 14; and Ronald C., 7.

### Carbide Children To See Dog, Pony Show At Parties

**Wednesday Is Deadline For Tickets; Dance Program Is Arranged**

Y-12ers this week are winding up their pre-Christmas party plans, both for themselves and their two to ten-year-old youngsters. Last minute rushes for tickets were expected to be underway before the annual Y-12 Dance-Party scheduled for tomorrow night at the Oak Terrace and the five children's Christmas Parties at the civic auditorium in the high school and the Gamble Valley School next Monday and Tuesday.

Today, Wednesday, December 17, is the deadline for filing applications for tickets to the children's parties. Application blanks have been published in The Bulletin for the past four weeks and some additional copies may be had at the newspaper office at the North Portal—so if any Y-12 parents have not yet put in their bids, don't disappoint those youngsters and get that request in right away.

### Y-12 SERVICEMEN GET DANCE TICKETS FREE

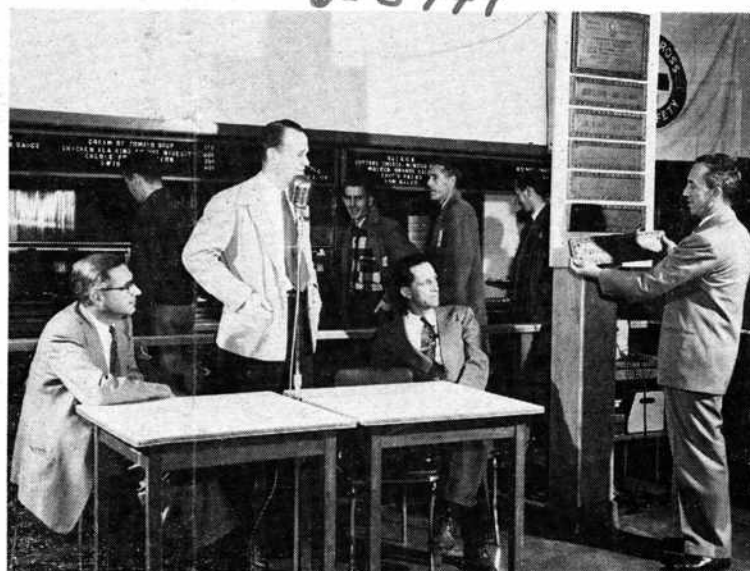
Of course, every former Y-12er now in the service and who might be home for the holidays, will be the guest of the Recreation Department at the Dance Party Thursday night. Those wanting tickets may obtain them from the Recreation Office, North Portal, or just come to the door at the Oak Terrace, be identified, and get the tickets for themselves and partner.

In addition to the regular program provided by Carbide for the Christmas Parties for youngsters in the form of movie cartoons, a visit from Santa Claus and a gift stocking for every young guest—a gala extra added attraction will be presented. It will be the Sonny Moore dog and pony show. The

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**SONNY MOORE, HIS DOGS AND PONIES, SHOWN ABOVE, will be an extra added attraction to the Christmas parties for children of Carbide employees next Monday and Tuesday.**



**JESSE M. HERNDON, Y-12 PROCESS DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT, standing in light coat, has just finished presenting the two Carbide safety service bars to Lee Bagwell, right, who is attaching the last to previous Company awards. Seated are George W. Flack, left, Superintendent of Industrial Relations; and Gentry Underwood, Superintendent of Plant Protection. Unidentified Y-12ers in the rear pause in the cafeteria line for the brief program.**

### Turkey And Trimmins' Top Y-12 Christmas Dinner Menu

One of those extra special, deluxe, yummy and otherwise delicious holiday meals is being planned for next Tuesday when the annual Christmas dinner will be served in the Y-12 Cafeteria. Cafeteria Superintendent George J. McMamee and his corps of workers have been planning the menu and service for this occasion for some time and are prepared to efficiently and courteously handle a record number of hungry Y-12ers next week for the annual feast.

### Professor Of Notre Dame To Address Physics Seminar

"Recent Progress In Nuclear Physics at Notre Dame" will be discussed by Prof. Eugene Guth, of that university, at the Oak Ridge Physics Seminar meeting scheduled for Friday, December 19. The meeting will be held at 3:15 p. m. in the auditorium of the new research building at Oak Ridge National Laboratory and all Y-12 scientific and technical personnel interested in the subject are invited to attend.

Because of the Christmas holidays, no meeting of the Physics Seminar will be held on Friday, December 26.

As a convenience to Y-12 customers and in a move that is expected to expedite handling of an anticipated long line of patrons, the price of the Christmas dinner has been set at exactly \$1, including tax. That means no time will be lost by cashiers in making change or on the part of the diners in fumbling around for extra pennies with which to pay the state tribute.

A mouth-watering choice of items are offered on the menu for the Christmas dinner—headed, of course, by the traditional roast young tom turkey. For anyone who does not care for fowl, delicious and toothsome baked ham will be available. The rest of the menu includes a choice of soup or juices, choice of two vegetables, a salad, dessert, bread and beverage. If the prospect of downing the entire meal prove too much, individual items may be bought at a la carte prices.

The complete menu follows:

<b>CHOICE OF ONE</b>	
Chicken Noodle Soup	Tomato Juice
Grapefruit Juice	Apple Juice
<b>CHOICE OF ONE</b>	
Roast Young Tom Turkey,	Chestnut Dressing
Giblet Gravy and Cranberry Sauce	
<b>OR</b>	
Baked Ham With Raisin Sauce	
<b>CHOICE OF TWO</b>	
Fresh Broccoli, Cheese Sauce	Candied Yams
Buttered Peas and Carrots	
Whipped Potatoes	
<b>CHOICE OF ONE</b>	
Sliced Pineapple—Mayonnaise—	Grated Cheese
Stuffed Celery With Roquefort Cheese	
Diced Tomato, Orange Salad	Waldorf Salad
<b>CHOICE OF ONE</b>	
Santa Claus Spice Cake	Pumpkin Pie
Hot Mince Meat Pie	Lemon Chiffon Pie
Rolls	Butter
Coffee	Hot Tea
	Ice Tea

### Safety Service Bars Presented; Records Praised

**Importance Of Avoiding Accidents Stressed As More Vital Than Marks**

Y-12 employees were highly praised last Thursday for the excellent safety record established in the plant over the past several years and—at the same time—warned not to become complacent over the recognition given for the extraordinary marks and allow carelessness to ruin the splendid reputation now held. The praise and warning was issued by Jesse M. Herndon, Process Division Superintendent, who was pinch hitting for Y-12 Plant Superintendent Logan B. Emlen in presenting Carbide safety service bars to Y-12ers in recognition of establishing the sixth and seventh periods of more than 1,500,000 man-hours of plant operations without a lost-time accident.

**On Display At Portal**

In brief ceremonies at the cafeteria at noon Thursday Superintendent Herndon presented the two handsome bronze bars to Lee Bag-

### INDIVIDUAL AWARDS DISTRIBUTION DELAYED

Because some of the articles ordered as individual safety awards for Y-12ers who helped establish the sixth and seventh Carbide safety periods have failed to arrive, distribution of the awards will be postponed until after Christmas.

well, Safety Department Supervisor, who added them to the original plaque awarded for the first Company safety period and the four bars subsequently earned by the plant. The plaque and bars will be returned to their permanent place in a North Portal display case where they may be seen as an incentive to continue the careful work habits that have earned the Company honors as well as those conferred by the Atomic Energy Commission, the National Safety Council, the National Fire Prevention Association and the Joseph A. Holmes Safety Association.

The latest honors earned by Y-12ers was termed by the speaker last Thursday as "typical of Y-12—with no half-way measures and not being content to win one at a time, but now getting them in pairs."

Superintendent Herndon then cited the two periods for which

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### SAFETY SCOREBOARD

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## Wives Will Elect; Husbands Are Guests

The Carbide Wives have arranged an attractive program for their meeting at 7:30 o'clock tonight, Wednesday, December 17, in the East Lounge of the Ridge Recreation Hall. Bailots will be distributed for the election of five new members of the board of directors, husbands will be honor guests and special entertainment is being planned. Refreshments will be served following the session, at which canasta and bridge will be played.

The executive member of the organization in charge of the meeting tonight will be Mrs. William Penn. Hostesses will be Mesdames John Wethington, S. M. DeCamp, Jr., L. T. Murphy, Jr., Richard Aiken, Jr., R. S. Lord, R. A. Hamrick, J. A. Agee and Tom Gayle.

Prizes will be awarded both men and women attending the meeting.

## Tool Engineers Seek Members For Chapter

Y-12ers interested in becoming members of an East Tennessee Chapter of the American Society of Tool Engineers are urged to be present at a meeting in Oak Ridge January 14. The meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m. in Room 205, Oak Ridge High School, according to Merle B. Hilton of the Y-12 Engineering Department, temporary secretary of a group that already has laid the foundation for a chapter.

At that time an official of the Ohio Crankshaft Co. will be the principal speaker and will discuss the fundamentals of organizing an ASTE chapter for tool engineers of Oak Ridge, Knoxville and East Tennessee.

At a recent meeting in Knoxville temporary officers elected were, in addition to Hilton, Charles Lasater, University of Tennessee Mechanical Engineering Department, chairman; Alfred Sanford, II, Sanford-Day Iron Works, Knoxville, treasurer; and Leonard Milton, of the Fulton Sylphon Co., Knoxville, membership committeeman.

### Y-12 HOLIDAY DATES TO BE REMEMBERED

Not that anyone is likely to forget them—but here's a few reminders of important dates for Y-12ers to remember during the holidays.

In accordance with the usual Company custom, pay days normally scheduled to fall after Christmas will be advanced to before the holiday. Monthly paid personnel will receive their checks Friday, December 19, and weekly paid employees will be paid on Wednesday, December 24.

The work schedule provides for the usual holidays on Thursday, December 25, for Christmas, and the following Thursday, January 1, for New Year's. The extended work week schedule calls for Saturday, December 27, being an off day. The regular schedule will be resumed in January with Saturday, January 10, and January 24, being working days.



Mrs. Paul J. Long



### LONG - WILLIAMS

The marriage of Miss Willa Mae Williams, of the Analytical Laboratory; to Paul J. Long, of the ANP Department in Y-12; on November 16, has been announced by parents of the bride. The wedding was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Williams, Tellico Plains, Tenn., with the Rev. Clifford Debety, pastor of the Williamsburg Baptist Church, performing the double ring ceremony.

Long is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Long, of Tellico Plains. At her wedding the bride wore a navy blue knit dress with white accessories and wore a corsage of white gardenias. Mrs. James Blair, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a light blue knit dress with navy accessories and a corsage of white gardenias.

During the ceremony a special piano solo, "Hearts of Love," was presented by Miss Eugenia Ann Sheets, eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sheets, of Madisonville, Tenn. Mrs. Porter Hawkins played the Wedding March.

Clyde Williams, brother of the bride, was best man.

After a honeymoon in Florida the couple returned to Oak Ridge, where they will live.

Both the bride and groom attended Tellico Plains High School and Long received his bachelor of science degree in physics at Tennessee Polytechnic Institute, at Cookeville.

## Nuclear Science Group Set Meeting On Thursday Night

The Nuclear Science Group of the Institute of Radio Engineers have urged all Y-12 members and other employees here to attend a meeting of the organization to be held tomorrow night, Thursday, December 18. The meeting is scheduled for 7:30 p. m. in the East Lounge of the Ridge Recreation Hall.

E. D. Gupton, of the Health Physics Division of Oak Ridge National Laboratory, will speak on "Health Physics Instrumentation."

## Accident Not Occupational; Y-12 Safety String Intact

The string of accident-free days in Y-12, reported last week to have been broken at 49, was not interrupted after all. Later medical examination of an employee reported to have suffered an injured back that caused absence from work revealed that the injury was not an occupational accident and chargeable as a lost time mishap.

As a result of the decision, the plant now has operated for 61 days through Sunday, December 14, without a lost time accident.



The general manager and proprietor of this column was perplexed, put out, confused and flustered one day last week. She didn't know whether to be insulted, complimented or to get a butterfly net for an intruder who poked a head in the door and said: "Do you think it will reindeer?"

The Electrical Maintenance Department extends hearty congratulations to J. P. Jones who is the proud papa of a baby girl born December 8, at the Oak Ridge Hospital. Congratulations also are extended to R. W. Coker who is the proud pappy of a baby girl born December 9, at the East Tennessee Baptist Hospital in Knoxville—little Victoria Lynn weighed eight pounds and 10 ounces at birth. Mendel Mascowitz spent a recent week's vacation loafing around home in Oak Ridge. B. L. Dooley has returned from a recent week's vacation spent at home in Kingston. Frank Favarella was on last week's vacation list.

A speedy recovery is wished for Capt. LeRoy Dickenson, of the Guard Department, who underwent an operation at the Oak Ridge Hospital last Thursday.

The Buildings and Grounds Department extends sympathy to R. L. Jones, whose father passed away recently at his home in Mississippi. P. E. Brownfield and his wife, Jeanne, of Electromagnetic Research, are planning to visit friends in Chattanooga for a few days while on vacation this week. J. Reed is on two weeks of vacation. Other fellows on the vacation list this week are L. M. Anthony, C. L. Nelson, C. Dickey and J. C. Howard.

Vacationers from the Research Services last week were F. H. DeFord, T. J. Walters and Don G. Hill. Erven Ross and E. L. Boorn are on vacation this week. Get-well wishes are extended to E. B. Galloway, who was on the sick list last week.

P. C. Ziemke, of Safety, made a little trip up to Kentucky last week—otherwise he spent his vacation around home in Oak Ridge.

W. T. Hays, of Security, has returned from a recent week of vacation which he spent duck and quail hunting—he got plenty of quail but no duck.

The Laundry Department extends get-well wishes to Mary Patterson, who was on the ailing list last week.

T. E. Hillard, of Manufacturing Offices, is visiting his folks in West Tennessee while on vacation this week. Charles Harris is vacationing in New York this week—he will return by way of West Point to bring his brother back to the Ridge for the Xmas holidays.

Dorothy Tompkins, of Property, is vacationing in Oak Ridge this week.

Anne Fitzgerald, of Stores, spent last week's vacation at home in Knoxville.

Wilma Simmons, of Technical Records, spent last week's vacation with her folks in Aetna, Tenn. Bobby Jean Jesse's husband, Don, was home from Fort Jackson,



The following Y-12 employees were patients in the Oak Ridge Hospital last week: John G. Byrd, Alloy; Harry L. Dickenson, Guard; Leonard R. Bledsoe and Samuel T. Shultz, Maintenance Shops; Charles O. Poland, Stores; L. E. Hart and Samuel R. Cotham, Field Maintenance; Ralph L. Cooley, Analytical Chemistry; Perry Suber, Buildings and Grounds; Addie Sue Borum, Product Processing; Opal P. Kristich, Assay Laboratory; and Willie Pitchford, Janitors.

S. C., on a recent week end.

J. A. Massengill, of Receiving and Shipping, was on the vacation list last week. The department welcomes E. E. Nickols and J. L. Bowles to their roster.

O. W. Patrick, of Property Sales, spent his week of vacation at his home in Petros, Tenn. The department welcomes E. Kimblin to the roster.

Bill Belvin, of Uranium Control and Computing, and his family spent the week end with relatives in Chattanooga. Barbara Pullen visited in Alabama for a few days last week and the remainder of her week's vacation was spent in Oak Ridge. The department welcomes Herb Gwinn and Sally Cornell to its roster. The best of luck goes to Libby Mitchell and to Betty McDonough, who have accepted jobs in New York City.

Mary Sladky and her husband, Dick, of the Analytical Laboratory, are vacationing this week at their recently acquired home in Kingston; and will spend the week end with Mary's folks in Lawrenceburg, Tenn.

Paul Griffin, of Isotope Research and Production, is spending a two-week vacation at home in Oak Ridge.

Dr. R. P. Metcalf, of the Materials Chemistry Division, has returned from two-weeks of vacation which he spent at home in Oak Ridge.

Christmas is just one week away—and the new year just two. Of course, most thoughts are fastened on holiday activities—parties, fun, exchange of gifts and other related doings. But in the back of all our minds let's keep our safety consciousness alert and keep a Merry Christmas from being a Marred Christmas just because of some thoughtless act that could bring about an accident.

Time to put the show on the road again—so long until next week.



Congratulations to—

John P. Jones, Electrical Maintenance, who became father of a girl born last week at the Oak Ridge Hospital.

## Children Of Y-12 Parents To Be In Christmas Plays

Several youngsters of Y-12ers will appear in the cast of two Christmas plays to be given by the Oak Ridge Children's Theater Saturday and Sunday, December 20 and 21. The presentations will be staged at the Jefferson Junior High School at 2 p. m. each day. Marshall Lockhart, wife of George Lockhart, of Y-12, is director of the plays.

The plays are "A Christmas Tree For Josie," and "Ten Minutes Before Christmas." Admission will be by membership card of the Children's Theater only.

## Prospective Pupils Sought For German Language Class

Any Y-12ers interested in joining a German language class in the winter quarter of the University of Tennessee Extension Division is asked to notify Miss Anne Holbrook. The telephone number is Oak Ridge 5-5606. The class is not yet booked for the winter quarter that starts on January 5, but will be organized if sufficient interest is evinced by prospective pupils. The course would be preparatory to a German language graduate examination.



Miss Lovelle Thompson



### THOMPSON - KERNOHAN

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry B. Thompson, of Camden, Tenn., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lovelle Thompson, to Robert H. Kernohan, of Hamilton, Ohio. The bride-elect is with the Research Directors Department of Carbide in Y-12 and Kernohan is employed at the Oak Ridge National Laboratory in the Solid State Division.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kernohan, of Hamilton.

The wedding is planned for Sunday, December 28, at the First Methodist Church at Camden.

## UT Graduate Classes Will Start January 6

The University of Tennessee has announced that its Oak Ridge Resident Graduate Program registration for the 1953 winter quarter would be held on January 5 with classes starting the next day. Enrollment will be held from 5 p. m. to 9 p. m. at the Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies Training building, located directly behind the Atomic Energy Commission administration building. All classes will be held in that building.

Courses for the winter quarter include Chemical Engineering 565, Chemistry 512c, Chemistry 523 and Chemistry 542c; Mathematics 452, 522, 562 and 699b; Metallurgy 592; Physics 412, 452, 542, and 531; and Zoology 422.

A complete list of courses and descriptions may be obtained at Y-12 Training Department, in Bldg. 9204-2, or at the university.

## Vice President Will Talk At Testing Group Meeting

Y-12 members of the Oak Ridge Chapter of the Society For Non-Destructive Testing have received notices of a meeting of the organization to be held tonight, Wednesday, December 17. The meeting will be held at 8 p. m. in Room 13 at the Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies.

Robert Oliver, vice president of the chapter, will speak and give a demonstration on "Introduction to the Basic Concepts of Ultrasonic Testing." An added attraction will be a report on highlights of the Philadelphia convention. Refreshments will be served.

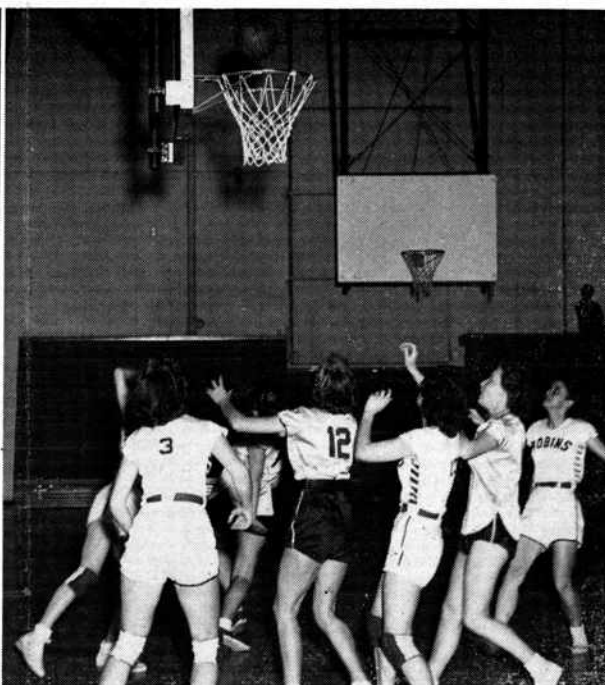
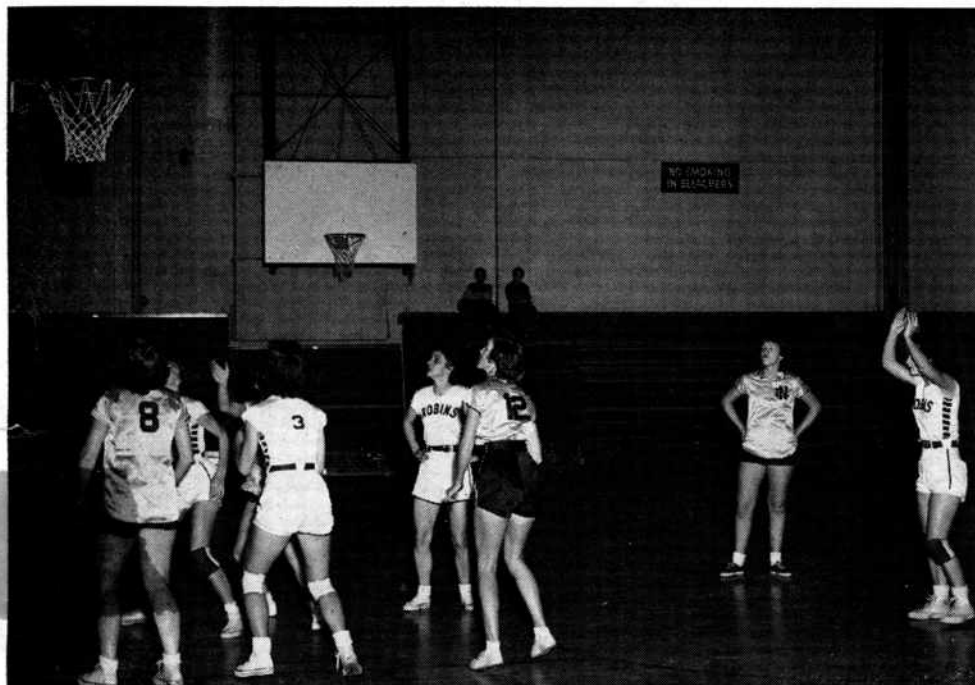
## Carbide To Sponsor Program Of Christmas Season Music

Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Company will say "Merry Christmas" to Oak Ridge with a program of Christmas music to be broadcast from 9 to 10 p. m. on Christmas night, Thursday, December 25. The program will be aired over Oak Ridge Radio Station WATO.



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PLENTY OF ACTION TOOK PLACE AS THE Y-12 ROBINS beat the Oak Ridge National Laboratory lassies on the basketball court, as shown above. In the picture at left from left the Y-12ers are Ruby O'Kain (partly hidden by ORNL No. 8), Peggy Cowan, No. 3; Mary Long (facing camera) two unidentified ORNL players

and Helen Brown, sinking a free throw. At right Ruby O'Kain is shown partly hidden by Peggy Cowan. Robin No. 13 is Helen Brown and Mary Long is at the extreme right. In this picture an ORNL field goal attempt was broken up. An action picture of the Y-12 Cardinals and ORNL Nats is on Page Four.

## Y-12ers Beat Bur-Mill Cagers

### Robins Take Thriller; ORNL Twin Bill Split

The Y-12 Robins kept their season's record unblemished with a thrilling victory over the feminine basketweavers from the Bur-Mills of Harriman last Saturday night at the Oak Ridge High School gymnasium, edging the visitors by 39 to 37. The Cardinals made it a clean sweep by easily downing the Harriman men by 52 to 33.

#### Divide Pair With Lab

In their Oak Ridge City League debut on Monday night, December 8 the Robins romped over the Oak Ridge National Lab by 50 to 10 but the Cards were trimmed by 65 to 44. The Y-12 teams were scheduled to play K-25 teams in league matches on Monday of this week.

The Robins just did outfly the Harriman girls in that thriller and had to stave off a determined rally at the end of the game to clinch the triumph. Harriman got the ball with a minute and 45 seconds to go and the Y-12ers couldn't get their hands on it as the visitors tried to climb up from a 32-38 deficit. Ruby O'Kain scored 18 points for the winners and Helen Brown 11. Harriman's Parker matched O'Kain with 18 counters for the losers.

#### Card Teamwork Wins

In the men's game the Cards grabbed an early lead and with a fine team exhibition the Y-12ers were out in front all the way. Billy Pope dunked 14 counters through the hoops, Fitzgerald 12 and Hamil 10. Kinnamon with 11 was best for the losers.

Ruby O'Kain with 20 and Helen Brown with 12 led the Robins against ORNL as the victors coasted all the way, blanking the opposition in the first quarter. In the men's tilt failure of the Cards to drop free throws cost them dearly as they missed 17 out of 28. Fitzgerald and Lovell each bagged 10 points for the Cards before bowing out for fouls in the third quarter as our side climbed to 10 points of the winners. However it was Stout who led the scoring with 13 tallies.

## Plant Keglerettes Lose Four Points

With most of the Y-12 feminine bowlers far off form, the plant team in the Oak Ridge City League that had been leading the loop for a couple of weeks, took a humiliating four-point defeat at the hands of the Peterson Insurance lassies last Thursday night. The loss tossed the Y-12 keglerettes into a first place tie with Rickers for first place.

The Y-12 team scores were 776, 776, 681, 688—2245; against 778, 683, 719—2180 for the opposition. Juanita Kirwan paced the Y-12ers with 173, 202, 168—543; followed by Doris Moore 174, 142, 118—434; Mary Ballard 166, 129, 236—531; Ruby O'Kain 141, 111, 126—378; and Mavis Koons 122, 97, 140—359.

## Pistoleers Of Y-12 Top Cops, Fire AEC

The pistoleers of Y-12 will fire against the Atomic Energy Commission at 7 o'clock Friday night, December 19, at the Oak Ridge Sportsmen's Association range in an effort to get above the .500 mark in the league competition. The Y-12ers outfired the Oak Ridge Police team last week in both scratch and handicap scores, winning the first classification by 1272 to 1092 and in the latter by 1438.303 to 1433.103.

The five high scratch Y-12 scorers were J. K. Bair 273, M. E. LaVerne 260, J. D. Kingston 256, J. C. Ezell and Jim Rose. The top handicap scores were posted by J. K. Bair 291.012, J. C. Ezell 290.142, Jim Rose 286.615, J. D. Kingston 286.554 and T. H. Williams 283.980.

## Isotopes Whitewash Leading Activators

The Activators had their comfortable lead in the D League whittled considerably last week when they were humiliated by the Isotopes who inflicted a four-point whitewash on the first placers. The second place Grocers and the Vectors failed to come to a final decision as the former took points, the latter one and one game was tied to be rolled off this week. The Peons pounced on the Split Kids for three points and the Toppers tumbled the Old Men by the same score.

The Toppers swept the board for top honors in scoring with 843, 1019, 2366 and 2894. Rudy Pletz, Peons, had the best individual series scores with a 548 scratch and 626 handicap effort. Webber, Toppers, had a 207 scratch game for tops and Bauman, Peons, the best handicap game of the night with 247.

#### League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Activators	35	17
Grocers	34	17
Toppers	31	21
Vectors	26	25
Peons	23	29
Old Men	22	30
Isotopes	21	31
Split Kids	15	37

\*Will roll off tie game this week.

## Has Beens Hit High Spot of B Season

The Has Beens had their heftiest night of the bowling season last Thursday when they ripped the Rippers for a four-point whitewash victory and drove to the top of the B League of plant keglers. Similar margins were established by the Bumpers over the Cubs and Bldg. 9211 over the Wasps. The All Stars treed the Tigers for three points, the Wolves beat the Bums by the same edge and the Rebels rocked the Swingsters to the same tune.

The Has Beens earned their triumph as they posted three seasonal high team scores with 914, 1074, 2522 and 3002 across the board, only the scratch series of 2522 being topped so far this season. In individual scoring Al Groppe, Rippers, had a 572 scratch series, boosted to 662 with handicap. Valentine, Bldg. 9211, had a 226 scratch game, increased to 264 with handicap for best of the night.

#### League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Has Beens	10	2
Tigers	8	4
All Stars	8	4
Bumpers	8	4
Rippers	7	5
Wolves	7	5
Bldg. 9211	7	5
Rebels	6	6
Bums	4	8
Cubs	3	9
Wasps	2	10
Swingsters	2	10

## Y-12 SPORTS NEWS

### Three Teams Tied For Plant Loop Lead; Cagers Quit After Tonight For Holidays

The Y-12 Plant Basketball League got away to a rousing start last week with the Rough House Five, Grocers and Engineers each winning a pair of games in the first two trips to the hardwood. The league will stage its usual three games tonight, Wednesday, December 17, at the Jefferson Junior High School and then take off for the Christmas holidays. The complete schedule for the remainder of the season is published in an adjoining column.

In the opening night tilts Monday, December 8, the Rough House Five started the ball rolling with a 41 to 10 win over the Duds, Cottrell and Kimball leading the winners with 14 and 12 points respectively. The Grocers walloped the Guards in the second battle by 45 to 21 with Whittaker leading the victors with 22 points and Blankenship scoring 12 for the losers. The Engineers took a 41 to 27 scrap from the Kilroys as Thomas scored 11, Sutton and Halt Simmons eight each.

In the second round of play the Engineers showed a lot of power by smothering the Duds to the tune of 60 to 30. Kennedy led the onslaught with 18 points, Malcolm got 11 and Walt Simmons 10. Frank Winstead topped the losers with 11. The Rough House Five had a tough battle with the Guards before coming out on top with a 34 to 25 triumph. Sangren was top scorer with 10 points. In the other scrap the Grocers turned in a 34 to 20 win over the Kilroys. Whittaker again led the victors with 14 points.

#### League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Rough House Five	2	0
Grocers	2	0
Engineers	2	0
Duds	0	2
Guards	0	2
Kilroys	0	2

### Three Whitewashes Posted In C League

Three whitewash victories were posted in the C League last week as the Rusty Five, Uranium Control Junior Varsity and Moles blanked the Eutectics, Angstroms and Hornets. The Guards took three from the Hooks in the remaining match.

Individual scoring honors were split four ways. Peckman, Rusty Five, had a 191 scratch game. Blessing, Eutectics, rolled a 229 handicap game. Schierbaum, of the Guards, had a 503 scratch series and Hemphill, Rusty Five, a 605 handicap series. The Rusty Five got most of the team tops with a 776 scratch game, 2274 scratch series and 2859 handicap

### Plant League Basketball Schedule

<b>Wednesday, December 17</b>	
7:30 p. m., Guards vs Duds.	8:30 p. m., Kilroys vs Rough House Five.
9:30 p. m., Grocers vs Engineers.	
<b>Friday, January 2</b>	
6 p. m., Engineers vs Rough House Five.	7:20 p. m., Guards vs Grocers.
8:40 p. m., Kilroys vs Duds.	
<b>Monday, January 5</b>	
6 p. m., Guards vs Kilroys.	7:20 p. m., Duds vs Engineers.
8:40 p. m., Rough House Five vs Grocers.	
<b>Monday, January 12</b>	
6 p. m., Duds vs Kilroys.	7:20 p. m., Guards vs Grocers.
8:40 p. m., Rough House Five vs Engineers.	
<b>Wednesday, January 14</b>	
6 p. m., Engineers vs Grocers.	7:20 p. m., Kilroys vs Rough House Five.
8:40 p. m., Guards vs Duds.	
<b>Friday, January 16</b>	
6 p. m., Rough House Five vs Duds.	7:20 p. m., Guards vs Engineers.
8:40 p. m., Grocers vs Kilroys.	
<b>Wednesday, January 21</b>	
6 p. m., Grocers vs Rough House Five.	7:20 p. m., Kilroys vs Guards.
8:40 p. m., Engineers vs Duds.	
<b>Monday, January 26</b>	
6 p. m., Guards vs Engineers.	7:20 p. m., Engineers vs Kilroys.
8:40 p. m., Guards vs Rough House Five.	
<b>Wednesday, January 28</b>	
6 p. m., Guards vs Engineers.	7:20 p. m., Rough House Five vs Duds.
8:40 p. m., Grocers vs Kilroys.	
<b>Monday, February 2</b>	
6 p. m., Kilroys vs Rough House Five.	7:20 p. m., Duds vs Guards.
8:40 p. m., Engineers vs Grocers.	
<b>Friday, February 6</b>	
6 p. m., Grocers vs Guards.	7:20 p. m., Rough House Five vs Engineers.
8:40 p. m., Duds vs Kilroys.	
<b>Wednesday, February 11</b>	
6 p. m., Kilroys vs Engineers.	7:20 p. m., Duds vs Grocers.
8:40 p. m., Guards vs Rough House Five.	
<b>Friday, February 13</b>	
6 p. m., Grocers vs Rough House Five.	7:20 p. m., Guards vs Kilroys.
8:40 p. m., Engineers vs Duds.	

series. The Moles had a 1009 handicap game.

#### League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Rusty Five	43	13
Hooks	37	19
Hornets	34	22
Guards	28	26
UCJV	28	28
Eutectics	23	33
Moles	18	38
Angstroms	13	43

Careless habits—Sudden death.

## Hobslurps Humble Leaders In E Loop

The second place Hobslurps humbled the high riding Peglers for three points in the E League of plant bowlers last week but the losing pinmen still had a lead of seven points in the loop standings after the alley activities. The Stinkers socked the 66s and the No Pins wobbled the Pin Wobblers by the same margin while the Easy Aces and Cut Ups divided their four points.

Schierbaum, of the Aces, kept up his top notch bowling with the high league, scratch series of the year of 608, boosted to 656 with handicap. He started it all with a 233 scratch game, which was matched by Walker, Hobslurps. The latter also had a 263 handicap game for best of the night. The Peglers had a 901 scratch game, boosted to 1034 with handicap, and a 2395 scratch series. The Hobslurps got into the scoring area with a 2889 handicap series.

#### League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Peglers	40	12
Hobslurps	33	19
Easy Aces	30	22
No Pins	28	24
Stinkers	22	30
66s	19	29
Cut Ups	18	30
Pin Wobblers	14	38

## Controllers, Kemps Both Blank Foes

Both the Controllers and the Kemps maintaining their winning ways in the W League last week, downing the Cracker Jax and the Strickettes respectively, for three straight games. The Curvettes poured the same medicine into the Alley Cats and the Mix Ups mauled the Gutter Cats for two games.

Dot Park, of the Controllers, swept all personal scoring honors with a 182, 234, 470 and 626 across the board, the latter being high for the season. Her teammates duplicated her trick with scores of 726, 966, 2037 and 2757.

#### League standing follows:

Team	W	L
Controllers	34	8
Kemps	27 1/2	14 1/2
Mix Ups	23	19
Gutter Cats	22	20
Strickettes	21	21
Cracker Jax	16 1/2	25 1/2
Curvettes	14	28
Alley Cats	10	32

#### 'SUITCASE' WAR SEEN

Writing in the Washington Star, Michael Amrine claims the real news behind the development of atomic artillery is that the atomic bomb has been steadily shrinking in size but not in its power to destroy. He points out that the size of the new atomic artillery shell now makes "suitcase" warfare a definite practical possibility.



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## Carbide Children Get Dog And Pony Show

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act has been highly praised wherever it has shown and is particularly beamed for the entertainment of the small fry. The Sonny Moore show is coming here direct from Charleston, W. Va., where it is booked for the annual Christmas Party for children of Carbide and Carbon Chemical Company employees at the home plant in the West Virginia city.

The Oak Ridge Christmas Parties for children will be held at 9 a. m. and 1 p. m. Monday and Tuesday, December 22 and 23, at the civic auditorium and at 10 a. m. Tuesday, December 23, at Gamble Valley.

### Dance Tickets Cost \$1

The advance sale of tickets for the Dance-Party for Y-12 employees and their friends indicates that the Oak Terrace ballroom, scene of the shindig, will be packed. The tickets sell for only \$1 each and will be on sale throughout the plant until tomorrow. Agents with tickets for the entertainment are:

**Evelyn (Fiz) Tucker, Bldg. 9711-5**  
(Cafeteria).  
**T. A. Williams, Bldg. 9704-2**  
(Cashier's Office).  
**W. S. Herron, Bldg. 9706-1A.**  
**A. F. Kendig, Bldg. 9201-3.**  
**Nelson Tibbatts, Bldg. 9739.**  
**R. S. Phillipi, Bldg. 9212.**

The tickets also may be obtained at the Recreation Office, North Portal, and at the Oak Terrace tomorrow night.

### Collins Orchestera To Play

Music will be provided by the Jerry Collins orchestra from Knoxville, one of the section's best-known musical organizations. An interesting program, including presentation of prizes, will be given. No advance reservations will be made for the dance, it being on a first come, first served basis for tables. The fun will last from 9 p. m. to 1 a. m.

A real Christmas atmosphere will permeate the entire Y 12 area this week as the usual Christmas tree with its lights for night decoration will be erected and the traditional Christmas music will be played over loud speakers at the plant portals. The tree will be erected at the entrance to the North Portal.



## Attendance Record

MAJOR LEAGUE More Than 50 Employees Scheduled				
Dept.	Absent	12-7-52	11-30-52	
2690	0.5	1	1	
2739	0.7	2	2	
2619	0.9	3	3	
2108	1.0	4	6	
2018	1.4	5	4	
2008	1.89	6	5	
2617	1.90	7	11	
2091	2.0	8	8	
2003	2.1	9	10	
2077	2.19	10	7	
2060	2.24	11	9	
2014	2.5	12	13	
2015	2.8	13	12	
2618	3.1	14	17	
2790	3.32	15	14	
2142	3.33	16	15	
2001	4.2	17	18	

Group absentee percentage was 2.3 per cent, .2 per cent lower than the preceding week.

MINOR LEAGUE 15-49 Employees Scheduled				
Dept.	Absent	12-7-52	11-30-52	
2109	0.0	1	1	
2743	0.0	1	2	
2200	0.0	1	2	
2143	0.0	1	12	
2301	0.0	1	1	
2107	0.6	2	1	
2144	0.9	3	3	
2093	1.02	4	4	
2140	1.04	5	1	
2145	1.6	6	5	
2005	1.8	7	7	
2096	2.8	8	6	
2002	4.2	9	11	
2133	5.2	10	9	
2616	6.7	11	13	
2090	8.6	12	10	
2046	10.1	13	8	

Group absentee percentage was 2.8 per cent, .2 per cent higher than the preceding week.

The plant average for the week ending December 7 was 2.5 per cent, .1 per cent lower than the preceding week.

## Janet Cisar Is Elected President Of Carbide Camera Club; Y-12ers Sweep Color Slide Contest; Air Force Officer Talks



**NEWLY ELECTED AND RETIRING OFFICERS OF THE Carbide Camera Club are shown above. From left are Virginia Coleman, retiring secretary-treasurer; Robert Freestone, new vice president; Janet Cisar, new president and former vice president; George Begun, new secretary-treasurer; and Robert W. Schroeder, retiring president.**

Janet Cisar, of the ANP Division in Y-12, was elected president of the Carbide Camera Club for 1953 at a meeting of the organization last week. She was advanced from the post of vice president of the club. Other officers of the club elected last week were Robert Freestone, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, vice president; and George Begun, of the Materials Chemistry Division in Y-12, secretary-treasurer.

### Schoeder Retiring President

The retiring president of the club is Robert Schoeder, of the ANP Division. Virginia Coleman, of the Materials Chemistry Division, served as secretary-treasurer of the club during the past year.

An interesting talk by Col. Walter Fisher, of the Air Development Center at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, featured the meeting last week. He discussed photographic printing and printing techniques.

### Y-12ers Sweep Slide Contest

A color slide contest on the subject of architecture was held with first prize going to Forrest Seeley, of the Materials Chemistry Division. Y-12 entrants made a clean sweep of honors as Herman Dickerson, of the Isotope Research and Production Division, was second and Virginia Coleman was third.

## Y-12ers Are Warned Against Complacency

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the Carbide service bars were awarded Y-12ers, pointing out that this was the first time two such awards had been won in one year. They were:

Sixth—January 5 to April 6, inclusive, 2,218,145 hours.

Seventh—July 26 to October 2, inclusive, 1,571,495 hours.

"You can be justly proud of such records," he continued, "and in accepting these bars from the Company for you I want to leave you with two thoughts.

"The records are not the most important thing. The important thing is that you do not get hurt—that your mother, father, wife and children know that you are working in a safe place. The second thought is that we should never become complacent and careless.

### 14 Accidents This Year

"There have been 14 lost-time accidents in Y-12 so far this year and only by your own efforts can this number be reduced. Naturally, the management of your plant sincerely appreciates your safety efforts to date and the recognition given by the Company. However a still more impelling reason for endeavoring to reduce the number of lost-time accidents is your own personal safety.

"Isn't this alone worth the effort necessary to reduce our lost-time accidents in 1953 by at least 14?"

## Varsity Bowlers Tip Clinton For Victory

The Y-12 varsity bowling team paraded right along at the top of the Oak Ridge City League when it handed the Clinton Bedding Co. keggers a whitewash defeat on Monday night, December 8. The victory put the Y-12ers 14 points out in front of the second place K-25 pinmen.

Joe Pryson sandwiched a 178 game between scores of 214 and 201 for a 593 series to lead the Y-12ers. Frank Gragg was right behind with a 203, 193, 193—593. Ernie Cobble had the best Y-12 game of the night, a 224 coupled with 158 and 188 for a total of 520. Then came Roy Roberts with 162, 170, 152—489; and Jack Spears with 166, 131, 140—437. Spears was plagued with no less than 10 splits during the three games. The Y-12 line scores were 903, 896, 878—2679; to 832, 859, 826—2517 for the losers.

### AUSTRALIAN CHANGE SEEN

Australia's sudden emergence as a uranium producer may tip world balance of power and transform social and economic life of that nation, according to a feature in the New York Herald Tribune.

## Rides Wanted, Offered

**Ride Wanted**—To point near Fayetteville or Wilmington, N. C., between December 20 and 25. Gene Jackson, K-25 plant telephone 8827, home telephone 5-5289, Oak Ridge.

**Two Riders Wanted**—From Hariman and/or Oliver Springs on Group 2. Homer Baker, plant telephone 8331, home telephone 1292-M, Hariman.

**Rides Wanted By Two Persons**—From Emory Road, straight day. Call Frank Knox, plant telephone 7443, home telephone 8-5793, in Knoxville.

**Ride Wanted**—From Magnolia Lane vicinity, Oak Ridge, to North Portal, straight day. Don Parrish, plant telephone 7992, home telephone 5-9718, Oak Ridge.

**Ride Wanted**—From 360 Robertsville Road to East Portal straight day. Ann McKnight, home telephone 5-5155, Oak Ridge.

**Ride Wanted**—From 233 North LaSalle Road, Oak Ridge, to North Portal, straight day. Ed Beavan, plant telephone 7618, home telephone 5-8823.

## Credit Union Members Asked To Return Account Forms

The supervisory committee of the Y-12 Employees Credit Union now is verifying accounts of all members of the organization and on pay checks delivered to hourly and weekly roll employees in December a form was attached for members to sign and return to the Credit Union. Supervisory Committee members report the return of these forms has been slow and has requested all members to send them in the R. C. Kelly, Bldg. 9733-1, chairman of the committee. The forms will be attached to pay checks of monthly roll employees when they are distributed December 19 and those members also are urged to send the form to Kelly at once.

## Y-12 Volleyballers Open With Triumph

The Y-12 volleyball team got away to a good start in the City Volleyball League on Monday night, December 8, when it handed the Oak Ridge National Laboratory JVs a 2 to 1 defeat. After being scheduled to play the ORSORT outfit this week, the Y-12ers will be idle until after Christmas, being slated to meet Willow Brook at 8 p. m., Monday, December 29, at the Elm Grove gymnasium.

H. L. Horton was the outstanding Y-12 performer in the opening triumph. Other players included Sewell Brown, Andy Anderson, Hal Argo, Al Church, F. H. Gentry and Howard Horne.

## AEP Offers Varied Classes For Winter

Approximately 40 courses of general interest, high school and elementary school subjects will be offered during the 10 week winter quarter of the Oak Ridge Adult Education Program. Registration will be held January 2 and 3 at the AEP headquarters at the high school and classes will start on Monday, January 5, at the high school.

The general interest courses are widely varied in character, ranging from accounting, contract bridge, dancing, driving training, jewelry making, photography, piano, shorthand, typing and woodworking. Complete details may be obtained from the Adult Education Program office. The high school courses to be presented are English, history, civics and international relations while reading, writing and arithmetic are offered on the elementary school level.

Certificates are issued on successful completion of any of the AEP courses.

## Plant Rifle Team Meet Juniors Next

After edging out a narrow win over the K-25 marksmen; the Y-12 rifle team is scheduled to fire against the Oak Ridge Junior Rifle Club tomorrow night, Thursday, December 18, in the next loop contest. The match will be held at the Oak Ridge Sportsmen's Association range on the Turnpike west of the city.

Against K-25 the Y-12ers eked out a one point scratch win by 867 to 866 with handicap scores being 967.441 to 964.614. The five top Y-12 scores were posted by J. D. Rose 182—195.596; W. D. Cunningham 170—193.617; J. D. Smith 153—193.280; H. C. Hoy 170—193.268; W. Rathkamp 187—191.680. The other Y-12ers firing and their scores were H. A. Lane 146—191.360; G. Heins 140—190.400; R. Wolfe 117—186.720; A. H. Hunter 115—186.400; and N. J. Tronolone 100—184.00.

"You are charged with throwing your mother-in-law out of a ten-story window. Guilty or not guilty?"

"Guilty, your honor, I did it without thinking."

"That's no excuse. You might have hit somebody on the head. I fine you \$5."



**THIS PICTURE WAS MADE AS THE GAME GOT UNDER-way with the Cardinals' Lambden jumping against the Oak Ridge National Laboratory's Muckenthaler. At far left is Bill Hamil, of Y-12, with an unidentified Labster. Behind the jumping players is Arky Vaughn, ORNL; then come Jim Barker and Bill Pope, both of Y-12; Wolfe, of ORNL; and another unidentified ORNL player.**